

number 67, and the remaining pages are numbered consecutively thereafter.

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to insert the text of the Sequence Listing and the Sequence I.D. Nos. that correspond to the nucleotide and peptide sequences disclosed therein. No new matter has been added.

REQUEST TO OPEN A NEW DISK FILE

Applicants respectfully request that a new disk file be opened for the present application. The Sequence Listing that was filed on August 31, 1998 in Application No. 09/037,524, filed March 10, 1998, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,015,703 on January 18, 2000, contains identical sequence information to that in the present application. The present application, Appln. No. 09/392,476, is a continuation-in-part of this prior application.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(e) and (f)

Applicants respectfully submit that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted with this application is identical to the new disk file that Applicants have requested be opened for this application. The new disk file and paper copy of the sequence listing do not introduce new matter.

No fee is required for this statement. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee demonstrated to be required to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at 202-530-1010 or by facsimile at 202-530-1055. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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Attachments: Sequence Listing
Appendix: Marked-Up Version of Changes to Specification

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APPENDIX

MARKED-UP VERSION OF CHANGES TO SPECIFICATION

Please substitute on page 8, last paragraph, starting at line 29, with the following replacement paragraph:

Figure 1: Restriction map of the vector pCBG1-TV and the amino acid sequences of the CBH1 secretion signal/mature β -glucosidase juncture SEQ. ID NO.: 1, SEQ. ID NO.: 2 (see Example 5).

Please substitute on page 9, first paragraph, starting at line 1, with the following replacement paragraph:

Figure 2: Restriction map of the vector pXBG1-TV and the amino acid sequence of the xylanase II secretion signal/mature β -glucosidase juncture SEQ. ID NO.: 3, SEQ. ID NO.: 4 (see Example 6).

Please substitute on page 9, second paragraph, starting at line 3, with the following replacement paragraph:

Figure 3: Restriction map of the vector pC/XBG(XbaI)-TV and the amino acid sequence of the xylanase II secretion signal/mature β -glucosidase juncture SEQ. ID NO.: 3, SEQ. ID NO.: 4 (see Example 7).